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SQUIRES, Solicitor for Complainant
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Co is this day dissolved by mutual
The business will be continued
Fenton at the old place of business
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by note or otherwise.
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free Address STINSON & Co.
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Spring! Spring!

J. R. RACE & CO.

Are now receiving their

SPRING STOCK

—OF—

CLOTHING!

Come and see our great variety of

SPRING OVERCOATS,
BOYS' & YOUTH'S CLOTHING,
NOBBY SPRING HATS,

And everything else kept in a FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING HOUSE.

PIECE GOODS IN THE LATEST STYLES.

SUITS!

made to order, and PERFECT FITS WARRANTED.

WE HAVE THE BEST CUTTER IN THE COUNTRY.

CALL AND SEE US

J. R. RACE & CO.

Feb 24, 1880—d&wtf

Central Marble Works

YOUNG & PASOLD,

DEALERS IN

AMERICAN AND ITALIAN

MARBLE!

We also cut and finish all kinds of

Building Stone, Water Table,

WINDOW CAPS and SILLS, STEPS,

And all sizes of

FLAGGING & CURBING

For cemetery or other purposes

EMPLOY NO AGENTS

Jan 23, 1880—d&wtf

BLENZ & DANZEISEN

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

—A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED

MEATS.

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

HAMS.

Hams, from 18 pounds and upwards, 11 cents
under 18 pounds, 12½ cts Sugar-Cured Shoul-
ders, 8 cents, Lard, 10 cts

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand We kill only first-class stock Feb19'78dtfd.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of JOHN W. HAWORTH, dec'd

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of John W Haworth, dec'ed, to present the same for adjustment and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of April, A. D 1880, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Feb 27, A. D 1880
K. H. ROBY, Administrator
Feb. 27—d3w

CONSTITUTION WATER

DROPS OF

40 CONSTITUTION WATER

THREE TIMES A DAY,

CURES BRIGHT'S DISEASE, INFLAMMATION OF THE KIDNEYS, STONE IN THE BLADDER, CATARRH OF THE BLADDER, GLEET, DIABETES, GRAVEL, BRICK DUST DEPOSIT, CHILDHOOD WEAKNESS

For Female Complaints a Specialty.

For sale by all Druggists. Send for Circular
BOERIKE & ALLEN, 50 John Street, New York.
Nov. 27—d&wwwfmo

$72 A WEEK, $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine, Nov11-d&wly

Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of J. Z. Co is this day dissolved by mutual The business will be continued Fenton at the old place of business indebted to said firm are request by note or otherwise.

d&w4w J. L. FENTON.
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FINE HAND-MADE

HAVANA CIGARS

Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 1.
Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 2.
Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 3.
Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 4.

SEEK NO FURTHER FOR FINE CIGARS.

KEPLER'S GREAT WABASH LINE OF FINE HAND-MADE HAVANAS is the production we place before the smoking public, and we guarantee these cigars to be just what we say they are, and we boldly say that at their prices they *have no superiors* in the market, nor do we intend they shall have. The W, St L & P No 1 is a large 5-inch hand-made Havana, made by experts, of the best Havana we have been able to find in the market. No 2 is a very fine hand-made 4½ inch Havana, and as a ten-cent or three for 25 cent cigar No. 2 has no superior No 3 is the purest Havana hand-made 5 cent cigar that we or any one else can produce for the price, and we guarantee No. 3 equal in merit to two-thirds of the 10-cent cigars in the market We challenge any expert to cut to pieces No 3 and examine himself as to the truth of what we have said. No 4 is a fine 5 cent or 6 for 25 cent cigar, and contains more fine stock than nine-tenths of the cigars intended to be retailed at 5 cents straight. Fine cigars are better, richer, and more fragrant in smoke when fresh, than when old and dried out. We use no cheap, worthless flavoring extracts in our cigars, but we depend alone for their merit upon the fine stock of which they are made and the workmanship of expert cigar makers. We respectfully solicit a trial Every cigar warranted a perfect smoker

ANDREW KEPLER,

Feb 27, 1880—d&w3mo By TRUSTEES

E. S. AUNGST & CO.

UNDERTAKERS

And Dealers in all kinds of

COFFINS

Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets,

Southwest Corner Old Square,

DECATUR, ILLS.

Residence, No 18 West William street.
June 4—d&wtf

DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, 1880

HARRY P. MILLER vs. LUELLA MILLER, Divorce

TO LUELLA MILLER—TAKE NOTICE The above entitled cause is now pending wherein you are defendant and Harry P. Miller is complainant, that the summons is returnable May 10th, 1880, to a term of the circuit court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, and that a bill for divorce has been filed in said cause. Now unless you appear, defend and answer said bill, the same will be taken for confessed,

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court

E S. McDONALD, Solicitor.
Feb 14—d4w*

MIRANDA M. SARGENT, M. D.

Office and residence over Gehrmann's store. Street entrance between Gehrmann's and Stookey's, Merchant street, Decatur, Ill.
Sept 22, 1879- dtf

Parasites—eye glasses.

Editors and hens must scratch for a living.

The Atlantic for March! No, thank you, we had rather stay ashore.

It is said the Vassar College girl who caught cold by drinking water from a damp tumbler is convalescent.

"Truth crushed to earth will rise again," and the same thing is true of a barrel hoop, if you happen to step on it just right.

Now that diamonds can be made by the processes of chemistry it will be harder than ever to distinguish the common people from editors.

"Brains to the front!" calls the Kansas City Times. Well, here we are; now show us your front seat.—Whitehall Times. Shame on you. It is not brains that can be put in a seat that are wanted.

"Wherein does woman's weakness lie?" asks a correspondent. It is our opinion that it lies when she's telling the lady next door the price of a seal-skin sacque her husband bought her at a pawnbroker's sale

They talk about the weakness of our army, and the impossibility of putting one in the field at short notice, but let the government issue a call for 400,000 major generals, and we'll bet they'll get 'em in two days.

Latest puzzle poetry :

William goes a courtin,'
With her silent sits,
Both engaged in sortin'
Wood in little bits
Not a word they utter—
Cur'ous kind o' courtin'—
Now and then they mutter
"Thirteen—Fifteen—Fourteen"

Birdie is standing by the garden gate,
Waiting for some one she loves,
Soon they'll be cooing on the old front steps
Like a pair of turtle doves

Papa is waiting for the lover too,
Glancing at his box-toed shoe
The old man is feeling pretty frisky to-night
And this visit the boy will rue

No one knows who invented the fashion in society of turning down the corner of a visiting card; but the fashion of turning down the corner of a street was first thought of by the man who owed a small bill to the tradesman he saw coming

An old farmer who was solicted by a committee to permit his son to take lessons in penmanship from a long-fingered professor, who could teach all sorts of "hands," with flourishes and scroll pictures thrown in, said, "No; let the boy write his own hand, and then he'll never go to New York and be a forger and ask me to mortgage the farm to go his bail."

Both in Norway and Sweden the women preponderate in number over the men. At the last census of Norway, in 1875, the total population was 1,810,000, of which 886,000 were males and 931,000 females, being at the rate of 488 males and 512 females to every 1,000 of the population In Sweden the proportion of births is at the rate of 511 boys to 489 girls out of every 1,000, but the mortality is in favor of the females, for the census returns of 1876 showed 486 men to 514 women out of every 1,000 of the population

AN HONEST MEDICINE FREE OF CHARGE

Of all medicines advertised to cure any affection of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, we know of none we can recommend so highly as Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Hoarseness, Tickling in the Throat, loss of voice, etc This menicine does *positively cure*, and that where everything else has failed No medicine can show one half so many positive and permanent cures as have already been effected by this truly wonderful remedy For Asthma and Bronchitis it is a specific cure, curing the very worst cases in the shortest possible time. We say by all means give it a trial *Trial bottles free* Regular size, $1 For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. [Dec. 18-d&wtf

RECEIVED to-day Ladies' Spring Circulars, Walking Jackets, Capes and Ulsters, very beautiful and cheap, at
March 6-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'

QUEENSWARE and everything for house keeping at Ashby & Andress
Feb4-tf

CHILDREN'S games and blocks, in all most endless variety, at J M Stookey & Co's 17 d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN at 8 per cent on farms Notes payable at Decatur
Oct 31—d&wtf J. M CLOKEY

NEW and handsome Ingrain and Brussels Carpets, just received by Linn & Scruggs d&wtf

Query:—Why will you smoke a poor 5-cent cigar when you can get "Kepler's Queen," warranted 18 carats fine, for the same money? [April 11-dtf

SHIRTS MADE TO ORDER!

By producing goods of unequaled merit in wearing qualities, artistic appearance, and exactness of fit, and offering same at reasonable prices,

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS CLOTHIER,"

has increased this branch of his business through the SUPERIORITY of the

CELEBRATED

WILSON BROS.' SHIRTS,

OVER ALL OTHER KINDS AND MAKES,

THAT IT NOW EXCEEDS THE COMBINED SALES OF ALL OTHER SHIRTS KEPT BY OUR COMPETITORS IN THIS CITY

Wilson Bros.' Ready-made Shirts Constantly Kept in Stock.

B. STINE,

Feb 14, 1880—d&wtf "The BOSS CLOTHIER."

Redemption Notices.

To G M. Bruce, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit Lot 10, block 9, Western Addition to the City of Decatur taxed in the name of G M Bruce, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A D 1880
JOHN N BILLS

To Bond & Smith, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit Lot 5, block 3, town of Oreana, taxed in the name of Bond & Smith, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A D. 1880 JOHN N. BILLS

To Charles Fisher, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit Lot 4, east half southeast quarter section 31, township 16 north, range 1 east of the 3rd P M, taxed in the name of Charles Fisher, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A D 1880
JOHN N BILLS

To Charles A Hendricks, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit Lot 11 block 1, Miller & Packard s Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of Charles A Hendricks, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A D 1880, JOHN N BILLS

To Mary Kinsey, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit Lot 8, northeast quarter of section 27, township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P M taxed in the name of Mary Kinsey, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880
JOHN N BILLS

To John Mason, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit. The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 27, township 16 north, range 1 east of the third P M taxed in the name of John Mason, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A D 1880
JOHN N BILLS

To A. L. Roberts, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit Lot 13, block 2, Rolling Mill 1st addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of A L Roberts and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July A D 1880.
Feb 14—d3w JOHN N BILLS

To O F Parker, or parties interested
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 15, township 15 north, range 3 east of the 3rd P M taxed in the name of O F Parker and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day July A D 1880 JOHN N BILLS
Feb 14-d3w

THE READY FAMILY SOAP MAKER:

LEWIS' LYE

98 PER CENT. PURE.
(Patented.)

FINELY POWDERED. HIGHLY PERFUMED.

The strongest and purest Lye made Will make 12 pounds of the best Perfumed Hard Soap in 20 minutes without boiling.
The best water-softener made.
The best disinfectant.
The following are some of the advantages obtained by using Lewis' 98 Per Cent. Powdered Lye

First. It is packed in an iron can with a slip or removable lid, easily taken off and leaving the contents exposed, thereby saving the trouble annoyance, and danger (from flying particles), as with other Lyes which, being sealed in the cans, must be broken with a hammer to get the Lye out.
Second. It being a fine powder, you can remove the lid and pour out all the contents, being always ready for use.
Third. A teaspoonful or more can be used, as in water-softening, scrubbing, etc., and the lid returned to the can, and thereby save the balance of contents. With other Lyes all must be dissolved at once and used in a short time, or the strength is gone.
Fourth. Guarantees purity Free from all adulterations.
Fifth. The best Soap can be made in from ten to twenty minutes with this Lye.
Sixth. No failure is possible in making Soap with this Lye when the simple directions given are followed.
Seventh. One can of this Powdered Lye is equal to twenty pounds of Sal Soda or Washing Soda.
Eighth. One can of this Lye will saponify one pound more of grease than any other Concentrated Lye, Ball Potash, or Saponifier.
Ninth. This Lye is 98 per cent. stronger than any other Lye or Potash.
Tenth. One to two teaspoonfuls will soften a tub of the hardest water
Eleventh. One teaspoonful will thoroughly cleanse Sinks, Drains, or Closets.
Invaluable for killing Roaches, Mice Rats, etc.
The best article for washing Trees.

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For Sale by

F. SKELLEY & CO.,

Dealers in Staple and Fancy Groceries

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of DENNIS & REA, debtors

THE undersigned hereby gives notice that William A Dennis, surviving partner of the firm of Dennis & Rea, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did on the 20th day of January, A D, 1880, assign and transfer to the undersigned, as assignee, all of the property of said firm for the benefit of the creditors of said firm according to the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of the state of Illinois concerning assignments All persons having claims against the said firm of Dennis & Rea, are here by notified to present such claims under oath or affirmation to me, at the former place of business of said firm on the south side of the new square, in the city of ecatur, Illinois within three months from this date as the law directs
Decatur Illinois, Ja. 21 1880
Jan 21, d6w JOHN H MAUZY, Assignee.

Redemption Notice.

To J A Read or parties interested-
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July A D 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot to-wit Lot 7, block 8, Read & Co s addition taxed in the name of J A Read, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the sixth day of July, A D 1880 B D TUTTLE
Feb 18 1880-d3w

'Cheap Charley'

ONE PRICE ONLY!

NO MISREPRESENTATION!

—THE—

CLEARING SALE

—OF—

Winter Goods

HAS NOW BEGUN,

and will last until the arrival of our NEW and LARGE SPRING STOCK, now in course of being manufactured at our enlarged factory, 38 and 40 Madison Street, Chicago.

Wm Patterson Del

Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

Cor East Main & Water Sts.,

DECATUR

Factory—Chicago, Illinois.
Jan 19—d&wtf

The City Railway, Chicago, works 4,760 horses Read what Supt. SQUIRES has to say:

We use exclusively Whittier's Liniment. It will pay all owners of horses to call or write.
M. W. SQUIRES, Supt. C. C. R. Co.

The Express Company work 370 horses Read what Supt. KNIGHT has to say:

I have been using Liniment on the horses of the American and U. S. Express Co.'s stables for 24 years. I never met any that had one-tenth the merit of Whittier's Liniment. Our stables are open; call and see for yourselves,
H. KNIGHT, Supt. U. S. Ex. Co.

Read what Graves & Lomis, the largest breeders of horses in the State of Illinois, have to say.

For thirty years we have been using all kinds of liniment manufactured for horses, and, of all the liniments, Whittier's stands at the head of the list for Scratches, Grenssil Heel, Sprains, Galled Spots, and Sores of any kind. It will give all horsemen satisfaction.
GRAVES & LOMIS.

Scratches, Greased Heel, Thrush, Galled Spots from any cause, heal up in from two to three applications, and you can work the horse every day, and you can cure him at the same time It will take out all inflammation in a few moments.

There is no remedy on earth that equals Whittier's Liniment for

RHEUMATISM.

It will have the same effect upon the human Piles, Scrofula, Scald Head, Catarrh, Pimples or Blotches on Face or Body, Old Sores or Fresh Cuts

PRICE 50 CENTS AND $1.00 A BOTTLE.

DR. S. WHITTIER,
204 East Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

Nov 13—ds&wwow1yr

The Daily Republican.

S. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER PUBLISHERS.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

ENTERED at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 11, 1880.

QUEEN VICTORIA is to have a conference with the Emperor William, of Germany, at Wiesbaden, in April.

AT the city election in Sacramento, Cal., on Tuesday, the Republicans carried the [illegible], electing their entire [illegible] ticket, by majorities ranging from 300 to 500.

A ROBBERY of an express [illegible] Sidney, Nebraska, on yesterday, the [illegible] was at dinner, netted in a haul of $200,000 in gold and silver bullion.

A RAY of light is breaking in upon the South at last. The newspapers of that section are now devoting a large portion of their space to the discussion of the benefits of manufacturing. This is hopeful, it promises [illegible] results than politics.

HON. E. B. WASHBURNE was in St. Louis on Tuesday, on his way to Hot Springs. The reporters endeavored to interview him, but all they could extract from him was the opinion that Grant would be nominated at Chicago, and that his election in November, is sure.

THE latest attempt of the liberal statesmen of France, to take the control of the school system of the republic out of the hands of the priests, has failed. In view of the fact that no system of education can ever attain a high degree of excellence so long as it is entrusted to the priesthood, the failure of the [illegible] is much to be regretted.

JAMES REDPATH, now traveling in Ireland as the correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, appears to have his eyes about him, and has not allowed himself to be deceived by Tory lies and blandishments. In his last letter he writes:

The Dean of Cashel has addressed me a letter that tells some sad stories of life among the lowly in Ireland, that has so often moved the hearts of the civilized world. Like nine out of every ten of the cultivated priests whom I have met, the Dean does not hesitate to attribute the impoverished condition of the people to the disgraceful system of landlordism that prevails in Ireland, a system that would make a desert in ten years of Iowa or Illinois. There is an impression in America that the agitation against the land proprietors in Ireland is an agrarian movement. It is nothing of the sort, it is an earnest effort to remove the causes of famine. The evidence is overwhelming, and from every county to show that the landlords of Ireland are not contributing a shilling to the relief fund, but, as a class, they are mercilessly enforcing their legal claims to their pound of flesh from their starving tenants.

In the view of the Washington *Star*, which has pretty accurate knowledge of Congressional matters, "it is not unlikely that the Committee on Ways and Means will agree to a measure for the reduction or repeal of the duties imposed on articles used in the manufacture of paper. One or two of the members who voted against other portions of the tariff [illegible] expressed themselves in favor of a bill for this purpose. The tariff reformers cannot accomplish anything except through the committee.—The House is so evenly divided upon the question that it would be a waste of time to bring any tariff measure before it, except upon a favorable report from a committee, so that a majority vote could pass it."

IT is of no importance at all whether this or that republican is popular in the south or not, and whether one republican is able to get a larger popular vote than another. And if even the name of our Savior Jesus Christ should adorn the head of the republican presidential ticket, and if, moreover, an undoubted majority of the citizens, without distinction of race or color, should vote for that republican ticket, it nevertheless would not receive a single one of the 138 electoral votes of the south! * * * A glance into any paper published in the south, or a review of the occurrences at the elections of the last three years in all the southern states, will show that no republican candidate for the presidency, whatever be his name, can receive the electoral vote of even a single southern state, even if the republican electoral ticket should receive an undoubted majority in one state or the other. For in the south, you know, they indulge in an election practice quite different from that in the west or north.—*New Orleans Deutsche Zeitung* (*Dem.*)

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of skin eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box.

If you want the best and cheapest hosiery and gloves, go to

[illegible] Linn & Scruggs'.

THE FEDERAL ELECTION LAWS CONSTITUTIONAL.

The Supreme Court of the United States has just declared the Congressional election laws constitutional—Justices Field and Clifford dissenting. A Washington telegram says:

The court planted itself on the ground quite as radical as that assumed by Senator Morton and other Republicans in either House of Congress, when the bills were passed, in claiming the extent of the enlarged powers of that body under the recent constitutional amendments. Senator Whyte, of Maryland, a lawyer of ability, who scanned the opinion closely, remarked that it covered the whole ground, and left no loophole of escape for the responsibility of state officers to the Federal judiciary in elections for Federal officers. Another distinguished Democratic member of the bar said: "The court has swallowed the whole hog of unadulterated Radicalism, head, feet, tail, and bristles." The effect of the decision of the court is that hereafter, in all elections for members of the House of Representatives and for Presidential electors, the state election officers are not only responsible to the State authorities for the proper discharge of their duties under the State laws, but can also be held accountable both under the State and Federal laws regulating the conduct of elections to the Federal authorities. Another very important point in the decision of the court is that it affirms the full supervisory power of deputy United States Marshals at all Federal elections, as in many of the States the most important local elections, and as the United States officials are declared to have the authority to enforce the State, as well as the Federal laws, it is not difficult to see what an important influence the United States officials may exert in preventing frauds in State elections. As is natural, the decisions of to-day, following on those of last Monday, have been received with much rejoicing in Republican political circles, and when the Republican party regains control of Congress additional legislation concerning the conduct of elections will be enacted. Will the Democratic majority in Congress, in the face of the decision of the Supreme Court, refuse to make appropriations for the pay of the deputy marshals? On this point the Democrats to-day have been slow to express themselves, preferring to wait for party consultation. Under these decisions the Federal officials, particularly in the South, will have the authority to prevent the manipulation of the result of elections by use of tissue ballots and other methods that have been so freely practiced. Nothing has occurred for so many years to strengthen the Republican party as these decisions, as it is sustained by the highest judicial authority of the nation in the position it has all along assumed.

The Mule and His Father.

New York Tribune.

We shall offer no excuse for reprinting the documents given below. The first is a circular emanating from the independent republican committee of this city, which was sent to every member of the recent convention at Utica.

"There are two prominent aspirants for the candidacy whom many republicans deem unfit, and whose election would be doubtful. Their nomination is, therefore, inexpedient. Those candidates are Gen. Grant and James G. Blaine. Independent republicans believe that no such man should be nominated. That feeling in Mr. Blaine's case coupled with the suspicion that his official career is tainted with dishonesty, would cost the party thousands of votes should he be chosen as its candidate."—Semi-Solomon in his Weekly Newspaper.

The Animals were about choosing a Ruler. The Mule and his Father thought they held the Balance of Power. The Mule's Father edited a Weekly Newspaper which treated with great severity all other parties, except himself and the Mule, and that the whole Animal Kingdom would go to the Devil if the selection of the Ruler were not given to Himself and the Mule. The Mule established a Head Quarters and occasionally issued an Address to the Other Animals on the Prevailing Cussedness. But the Head Quarters were only a Blind. He did Business exclusively with his Hind Quarters, which he kept constantly in the Air. He kicked at Every Candidate that was named, and His Father encouraged him in it, telling Him that was the only way to Become Influential. At length Some One who had just escaped his Heels, said: "You Dam Mule what do you do that for?" And the Mule, delighted at having created a disturbance, Laughed long and loud as he answered, "Because I am a Dam Mule." Then Some One said to the Mule's Father, "Why do you issue this Monotonous Weekly Newspaper?" And the Mule's Father answered with Great Seriousness, "To Instruct the Mule."

Afterwards the Election went on, and they Counted the Mule and His Father as "Scattering."

American Beef in England.

From the New York Tribune, March 9.

England goes on borrowing her roast beef from America. An article in our local columns shows that the exports last week were much larger than for several months before, and this proportion, it is believed, will still increase greatly.

LACE TIES and Fichus, in new designs, just received by Linn & Scruggs.
21-d&wtf

If you want mill reed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

Regulating Railroads in New York.

New York Times.

The act to regulate the transportation of freight by railroad corporations is intended to prevent discriminations, of which so much complaint has been justly made. Its provisions will call for close scrutiny and careful consideration, but there is no question that a judicious measure, calculated to effect its general purpose, is imperatively called for. The bill creating a board of commissioners and defining their powers and duties, is subject to the same remark. Such a body, with proper authority and power, is necessary to render effectual the laws intended to bring railroad companies under proper control and hold them to their responsibility to the public.

PARNELL, who is now in Canada, will leave at once for home. The announcement of the dissolution of Parliament, of which he was a member, has necessitated a change in his plans. He must go home to see about his re-election, lest same other man, taking advantage of his absence, should put himself in his place. After the Parliamentary election he will return to America and resume his work here in the Irish cause.

THERE is a Sherman club in Cincinnati, organized and equipped with as many officers as it takes to run a government. They are graded all the way down from a president to a committee of "ways and means." The "means" end of the concern is busily engaged in sending out Sherman documents. The one to reach us is a "Life of John Sherman;" with all this seeming scheming on his friends' part, he is too timid to acknowledge that he wants the "highest place in the gift of the people."

BLAINE said to a friend of his in this city when he was here last fall that in case he was nominated for president in 1880 he would take the stump at once, visit every northern, and perhaps several southern states, lead his forces and make an aggressive campaign; he would deliver his first speech immediately after his nomination, and his last one in Indianapolis, Cincinnati, or New York on Saturday night preceding the election. On Sunday he would go to church; on Monday travel home to Augusta; on Tuesday, attend the election and vote the straight republican ticket; then retire to his dwelling and the bosom of his family and await the result with calmness and confidence. All of which is Blaine's style of doing things. There is no faint-heartedness or irresolution in his method of fighting a political battle.—*Chicago Tribune*

THE Democrats in Congress being no longer able to fight the Election laws on the score of unconstitutionality, owing to the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court, and having learned by experience the folly of attempting to nullify existing laws by the attachment of political riders to appropriation bills, are now driven to the necessity of making open war on the Election laws. Accordingly the House Judiciary Committee has agreed to report a bill obviously intended to make the existing laws inoperative so long as the Democrats retain control of both branches of Congress. This bill provides that no fees shall be paid as compensation to Federal Supervisors of Election or Deputy Marshals except in pursuance of an express appropriation by Congress for that purpose, and that it shall be unlawful to execute on the day of election any warrant or process against a state election officer who may be guilty of violation of the Federal election laws. By withholding appropriations for the pay of Federal election officers and also preventing any interference with brllot-box stuffing while it is going on, the Democrats hope to remove all restrictions upon "free frauds."

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—In the matter of the petition of the American Union Telegraph Company, in a suit pending in the United States Court to foreclose a mortgage on the New Orleans & Mobile Railway, and praying that the Court would allow said American Union Company to build a line along the said railroad, and asking the Court to fix the compensation therefor, the Court denied the prayer of petitioner allowing it to enter and build, but authorized the said telegraph company to prosecute any suit or legal proceeding of ex-proprietation against the trustees and receivers to establish any right which they might have under the law

For Sale Cheap.

A house and lot on corner of N. Church and Green streets—7 rooms, well and cistern—6 blocks from P. O. For terms, apply to F. B. TAIT.
Dec2-dtf

For plumbing on sanitary principles, sewerage, drainage and ventilation, call at H. MUELLER & Co.'s.
Aug 27-dtf

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Nov. 26—d&wtf

AN HONEST MEDICINE FREE OF CHARGE.

Of all medicines advertised to cure any affection of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, we know of none we can recommend so highly as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Hoarseness, Tickling in the Throat, loss of voice, etc. This menicine does *positively cure*, and that where everything else has failed. No medicine can show one-half so many positive and permanent cures as have already been effected by this truly wonderful remedy. For Asthma and Bronchitis it is a specific cure, curing the very worst cases in the shortest possible time. We say by all means give it a trial. *Trial bottles free.* Regular size, $1. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill.

TELEGRAPHIC

CALIFORNIA.

Mayor Kalloch's Proclamation.

THE DAKOTA BLOCKADE.

Political Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 10.—Mayor Kalloch has issued a proclamation, published in the morning papers, as follows:

"I deem it my duty to the city over whose welfare I have been called to preside, and to the public at large, which is being infamously deceived by the incendiary misrepresentations as to our situation, to declare in a most emphatic and public manner that there is not and never has been the slightest reason to apprehend any disturbance, riot or lawlessness whatever from the working classes of San Francisco. If trouble comes to us it will not come from them. The most inexcusable and outrageous means are being used by designing men to goad them into riotous demonstrations, but they will fail. They are, as they have proved themselves to be under the most trying provocations, the law-abiding and peace-preserving portion of our population. I vouch to the world for them that they will so continue, and I further declare that however people abroad may be imposed upon, that the people of this city see through all the transparent humbuggery of military interference, the police increase and the inflammatory circulars, and will wait their constitutional day of judgment to peaceably but effectively consign their authors to the political infamy and oblivion which they most richly deserve.

I. S. KALLOCH, Mayor.

The *Call* this morning, without any direct reference to the proclamation of the vigilance committee, dissuades the community from any violent measures as unnecessary to either party.

The *Chronicle* strongly commends the vigilant organization, and intimates that the first blow should be struck at the leaders of the agitation and not at the rank and file.

The *Alta* scouts at the neccesity for the concentration of troops here, holding that the vigilance committee is amply able to cope with the sand-lot, and concludes: "Let us have peace, and we mean to have it—inside law if we can, outside if we must." The *Alta* denounces the Mayor's proclamation as an insult to the people.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10.—The Senate Exodus Committee to-day examined Geo. T. Ruby, colored editor of the New Orleans *Observer*. He testified the Louisiana exodus originated among plantation laborers, and was the result of persecutions of political mobs of 1874 and 1875. Organizing as a colonization council in August, 1874, it spread rapidly from parish to parish and permeated the State, particularly the sections known as the Cotton Belt, where outrages had been most frequent. Political leaders had nothing to do with it. The immediate inducing cause of the New Orleans Convention, he said, was outrages committed in Louisiana during the summer and autumn of 1878. The effect upon the colored people of the lawlessness, which he said had prevailed throughout the State, was "to incite them to go anywhere out of the hell in which they had lived." It is, he said, the denial of his political rights rather than his physical condition, lamentable as it is, that causes this discontent among negroes. He admitted that there was in New Orleans a large and increasing class among white Democrats—perhaps a majority—who deplore the present condition of affairs, but those who entertain this feeling are merchants and capitalists, naturally timid, and exert no influence over political leaders. The rabid men control the party, and they are in the minority, but so long as the majority is quiescent and merely deprecate lawlessness they cannot prevent it.

Mr. Ruby stated he thought nearly 3,000 negroes had emigrated from the State, most of whom had gone to Kansas. In sugar growing sections of the State a better feeling prevailed, but in other parts the feeling of discontent is on the increase, and the indications are that many more will leave this spring.

BISMARCK, D. T., March 10.—Since February 10 to March 9 no mail has been received at this city except a few letters via Deadwood and Omaha. A team left this city on Friday last for the mail on a blockaded train, eighty miles east, and brought in twenty passengers and two tons of letter mail. Three tons of papers left at the train are expected this week. The snow has melted some, but it is still on the track and has to be scooped. One hundred and twelve men are twenty miles eastward towards the passenger train, and can only clear two miles per day. Energetic work was delayed too long. Provisions are running short There is no flour in the city. Provisions are being shipped by the Government from Fort Lincoln The blockade is a serious set back to business.

AUGUSTA, Me., March 10.—P. A Sawyer, recently deputy secretary of state, refused to testify before the legislative committee on the state seal question, and was held to await the action of the house.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 10.—At State Center, Wm. Snyder, aged sixty-nine years, physically strong, has for some time shown indications of mental aberration, and has been under the surveillance of his family, but arising from the breakfast table he quietly left the room, seized a hand-ax, hurried to a building several blocks distant, fastened the doors, and completely severed his left hand, and then the fore-arm. His wife followed, and found him nearly dead, lying on his face, the severed hand and arm near by.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 10.—The republican executive committee selected Selma, May 20th, as the time and place for holding the state convention. There were Grant, Blaine and Sherman men in the committee, with the first-named in the lead.

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, ILL., March 11, 1880.

GRAIN MARKET.	
FLOUR—patent process,	$4 25
FLOUR—White Wheat selling per hundred lbs	$3 75
FLOUR—Red wheat selling per hundred lbs	2.75
WHEAT	1.10
CORN MEAL—White selling	45@00
" —Yellow "	.50
SHORTS—Per hundred, selling	.75
CORN—New	28@30
OATS	30@32
Rye	.65
FLAXSEED—Per bushel	1.25
FARM PRODUCE.	
POTATOES	60
BUTTER—Per lb	20
EGGS—Per dozen	15
LARD—Selling	10
SIDE-BACON—Selling	10
HAMS—Selling	12½
CHICKENS—Per dozen, live	2.40
DRESSED CHICKENS—Each	20
" TURKEYS—Per pound,	10
ONIONS—Per bushel	1.50@2.00
APPLES—Per bushel	75@1 00
TIMOTHY HAY—New, per ton	9.00@10
BALED HAY, selling at	$14
FAT CATTLE—Per cwt.	3.00@3.25
HOGS—Per cwt.	3.00@3.25
HIDES—Green	6½
" — " damaged,	½ price
" —Dry	10@15
SHEEP PELTS—Apiece	.50@1.00
TALLOW—Per pound	.5½

SWORN EVIDENCE.

The following Cure is probably the most remarkable ever effected by any medical preparation for the treatment of Catarrh:

Gentlemen,—I hereby certify that I have had Catarrh for ten years, and for the last six years have been a terrible sufferer. I was rendered partially deaf, had buzzing in the head, pains across the temple, dizzy spells, weak and painful eyes, swollen and ulcerated tonsils, hard and constant cough, severe pain across the chest, and every indication of consumption. My head ached all the time. The matter accumulated so rapidly in my head and throat that I could not keep them free. Frequently at night I would spring out of bed, it seemed to me, at the point of suffocation. I would then have recourse to every means in my power to dislodge the mucus from my throat and head before being able to sleep again. For a period of six years my tonsils were ulcerated and so much inflamed that I could with difficulty swallow. I finally consulted an eminent surgeon in regard to an operation on them, but at his request postponed it. The constant inflammation and ulceration in my throat caused by the poisonous matter dropping down from my head had so irritated and inflamed my lungs that I coughed incessantly,—a deep, hard cough. Meanwhile my system began to show the effects of this disease, so that I lost flesh, grew pale, and showed every symptom of an early death by consumption. When matters had reached this stage, or about six months ago, I began the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH. After using the first bottle I began to improve rapidly. The first dose seemed to clear my head as I had not known it to be for years. It seemed gradually to arrest the discharges. *It stopped my cough in three days.* By using it as a gargle it soon reduced the inflammation and swelling of my tonsils, so that they soon ceased to trouble me. The soreness across my chest disappeared, the buzzing noises in my head ceased, my senses of seeing and of hearing were completely restored, and every symptom of disease that had reduced me to the verge of the grave disappeared by the use of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH.

I have been thus explicit because, as a druggist, I have seen a great deal of suffering from Catarrh, and hope to convince many that this is a great remedy.

I am familiar with the treatment of Catarrh as practised by the best physicians, and have consulted the most eminent about my case. I have used every kind of remedy and apparatus that have appeared during a period of six years past, and have, while following their use, taken great care of my general health, but obtained no relief or encouragement from any of them

BOSTON, Feb. 5, 1879. GEO. F DINSMORE.

SUFFOLK, ss. Feb 25, 1879.

Then personally appeared the said George F Dinsmore, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true. Before me,

SETH J THOMAS, Justice of the Peace.

Each package contains Dr. Sanford's Improved Inhaling Tube, with full directions for use in all cases. Price, $1 00. For sale by all Wholesale and Retail Druggists throughout the United States WEEKS & POTTER, General Agents and Wholesale Druggists, Boston, Mass.

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ORLAND, Me., April 21, 1879.

There is no medical or protective appliance that will prove so grateful and effective in Tickling Coughs, Irritation and Soreness of the Chest and Lungs. We believe them capable of preventing serious diseases of these organs.

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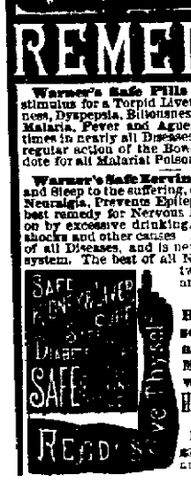
Warner's Safe Nervine quickly gives Rest and Sleep to the suffering, cures Headache and Neuralgia, Prevents Epileptic Fits, and is the best remedy for Nervous Prostration brought on by excessive drinking, over-work, mental shocks and other causes. It relieves the Pains of all Diseases, and is never injurious to the system. The best of all Nervines. Bottles of two sizes, prices, 50c and $1.00.



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Feb 25—d&wlmo Decatur, Ill.

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THE DOCTOR'S TESTIMONY.

A. S. RUSSEL, of Marion, Wayne Co., N. Y., says: The wonderful success of Thomas' Eclectric Oil in all cases of acute and chronic inflammation, catarrh, bronchitis, lame back, etc., *make the demand for it very great.*

THE DRUGGIST'S TESTIMONY.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 5th, 1880

MESSRS. FOSTER, MILBURN & CO.:

Regarding the sale of Thomas' Eclectric Oil, we are gratified in being able to inform you that since we took the agency, three months ago, for the sale and introduction of Eclectric Oil, our very large sales proves conclusively to our minds, this remedy has extraordinary merits as witnessed by the unprecedented sale. We anticipate a large increase in the sale, as its virtues become more generally known.

Yours truly, R JONES & SON,
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Sold by all Medicine Dealers.
March 11—d&wtf

Partnership Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of STROHM & RADCLIFF, was dissolved mutual consent on the 11th instant. The business will be continued at the old stand, cor. of North Main and West Prairie streets, by John S John, who will pay firm debts, and with whom parties indebted to the late firm are requested to make prompt settlement.

Decatur, Feb. 27, 1880.
March 4-wlt w't JOHN STROHM.
CHAS C. RADCLIFF.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of HENRY ULLRICH, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of HENRY ULLRICH, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of May, A. D. 1880, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., March 11, A. D. 1880.
PETER ULLRICH, Executor.
March 11—d3w

Redemption Notice.

To J. A. Read or parties interested:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 7, block 8, Read & Co's addition, taxed in the name of J. A Read, and that the time of the redemption the reof from said sale will expire on the sixth day of July, A. D 1880 H. B TUTTLE.
Feb. 18, 1880-d3w

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Feb 5—d&wtf

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Alexander F. Jenison and Estella D. Jenison, of the city of Decatur, Illinois, by their deed of trust bearing date April 3d, 1877, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book 63, page 103, did convey to the undersigned as trustee the following described premises, situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing one hundred and fifty feet west of the southeast corner of block six (6), of Kaufman's Addition to the city of Decatur, and running from the nce west fifty feet, thence north two hundred and twenty-four feet, thence east fifty feet, thence south two hundred and twenty-four feet to the place of beginning, and known as lot three (3) of the assessor's subdivision of said block six (6), as platted and recorded in book M, page [illegible] of the records of said county, to secure an indebtedness of five hundred dollars to the "Decatur Building and Benefit Association;"

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the monthly dues and interest upon said indebtedness for the period of more than six months, and said association has elected to declare said indebtedness due and payable, and has requested the undersigned to advertise and sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust, to pay said indebtedness, which now amounts to $496.75.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the authority upon me conferred by said deed of trust, I will, on

Wednesday, the Seventh day of April, A D. 1880,

at ten o clock in the forenoon, sell the above described premises at the west outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, and all rights and equity of redemption of said Alexander F. Jenison and Estella B Jenison, their heirs and assigns therein. Caleb C. Clapp, Edwin Clapp, Thomas Davies, William B. Clapp, Otto Young, Bradford K. Durfee and James H. O'Neil have, or claim to have, some interest in said premises.

KILBURN H. ROBY, Trustee.
March 8, 1880—d30d

ASTHMA CURED German Asthma Cure never fails to give instant relief in the worst cases, and insures comfortable sleep. A single trial will convince the most skeptical of its immediate, direct and never-failing effect. Price 50 cents and $1.00, of Druggists or by mail. Sample FREE for stamp. DR R SHIFFMAN, St. Paul, Minn
eb. 18-d4w

Fair Grounds FOR RENT

THE Macon County Fair Ground [illegible] red for rent for the period of nine [illegible] three months, beginning May 10th, 1880, and ending March 1, 1881. Proposals will be received by either of the undersigned until Saturday, March 15th, 1880

HENRY ULLRICH,
J. Y BRADEN,
M. B. THOMAS,
Committee.
Feb. 23—d&wtd

Dissolution Notice.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of J. L. FENTON & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual agreement. The business will be continued by H. W. Fenton at the old place of business. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to settle by note or otherwise.

Feb. 23—d&wlw4w J. L. FENTON.
H. W. FENTON.

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USTEE'S SALE.

S. Alexander & Jenkins and B. Jenkins, of the city of Decatur, by their deed of trust bearing date the 1st day of October, A. D. 1877, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book [illegible] did convey to the undersigned as trustee the following described premises, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing one hundred and sixty-six feet of the southeast corner of block [illegible] of Chauffman's Addition to the city of Decatur, and running from the place of beginning west fifty feet, thence north two hundred and twenty-two feet, thence east fifty feet, thence south two hundred and twenty-four feet to the place of beginning, and known as lot three (3) of the subdivision of said block [illegible] as recorded in book [illegible] of deeds, page [illegible] of said county, to secure an indebtedness of one thousand dollars to the "Decatur Building and Loan Benefit Association;"

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the monthly dues and interest thereon due on said indebtedness for the period of [illegible] months, and said Association has declared said indebtedness due and payable, and has requested the undersigned to sell said premises under the power of sale contained in said deed of trust, to pay said indebtedness, which now amounts to $[illegible];

Therefore, in pursuance of the authority conferred by said deed of trust, I will on

Thursday, the Seventh day of April, A. D. 1880,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell the above described premises at the west outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, and all rights of redemption of said [illegible] will be made to Caleb C. Clapp, Edwin Clapp, Charles H. Jenkins, Caleb C. Clapp, Edwin Clapp, Charles H. Clapp, Otho Davies, William H. Clapp, Otho Davies, William H. Clapp and Bradford K. Durfee and James W. Durfee, or claim to have, some interest in the premises sold.

ALEXANDER B. KILBURN & BONY, Trustees.

March 1—d30d

THMA CURE

[illegible] to give instant relief, permanent, and invariably cures the worst cases of [illegible] Asthma, after all remedies have failed. Don't suffer another day when a single trial will convince you of its immediate, direct and wonderful effect. Price 50 cents and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by druggists, or by mail. Sample Package FREE. Address DR. R. SHIFFMAN, St. Paul, Minn.

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FOR [illegible]

[illegible] County, Illinois, will receive sealed proposals for the rent for the term of [illegible] months, beginning May 10th, 1880, and ending March 1st, 1881. Proposals will be received until the 1st day of April, 1880, at which time the Board of Supervisors will meet and open the same. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. By order of the Committee on Poor Farm.

[illegible], 1880.

J. F. [illegible], Chairman.

M. B. [illegible], Clerk.

d&wtd

Dissolution Notice.

COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of [illegible] & Co., in this city, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be settled by [illegible]. Persons indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle by note or otherwise.

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H. V. [illegible]

The Daily Republican.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 11, 1880.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES M. BRIDGE as a candidate for Assessor at the ensuing township election.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

ALL the rage—the Gem Brain Puzzle—13, 15, 14, at BARTHOLOMEW'S.
March 6-dtf

THE earth was white with snow in this vicinity this morning.

TURE Rose Bulbs, cheap, at V. H. Parke's.

THE newly-elected city officials and councilmen will be duly installed this evening.

TINWARE and everything for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress.
Feb4-tf

THE WEEKLY REPUBLICAN, teeming with the latest news, was issued this morning.

STOP in at Penniwell's and order your coal by telephone from Ed. Martin's coal yard. feb13d1m*

MANY improvements are contemplated in various parts of the city.

IT has been decided to call a Republican convention for the nomination of a full set of township officers.

SMOKE the popular "Morning Glory" 5-cent cigars manufactured by Osmer & Son.

CHEW Zig-zag tobacco, clear Kentucky white filler. dtf

TO-MORROW Geo. V. Loring, city engineer and county surveyor, will have two offices—one in the city council chambers and the other at the circuit clerk's office, as required by law.

HOOP SKIRTS, the latest styles, made to order, on short notice, at Goldburg's, West Wood street. 19-dtf

BUY the famous Reynolds' Peoria hams, on sale at Niedermyer's, on the mound.

THERE was a long-drawn-out jury trial in Justice Peake's court on yesterday about the rent of an 80 acre farm.

GET physicians' prescriptions by an experienced druggist at W. C. Armstrong's.

HERE is a Jacksonville girl's solution of the crack brain puzzle when the figures fall "15, 13, 14." She says she can place them properly in 26 moves, blindfolded, as follows: "12d, 11r, 10r, 9r, 15u, 13l, 14l, 12l, 11d, 10r, 9r, 15r, 13u, 14l, 15d, 9l, 10l, 11u, 12r, 15r, 14r, 13d, 9l, 10l, 11l, 12u."

SEE our three-button kid glove, for 50c. in all shades; excellent goods.
11-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

ONE little fellow in this city went to school one day recently all broke out with the measles. His teacher sent him home, and the third day he came back again well and hearty.

A NEW supply of circulars—handsome styles, spring weight. CHEAP STORE.
5-d&w1w

THE inclement weather interfered somewhat with the usual large attendance at the prayer meetings last evening.

W. C. T. U. festival at the tabernacle to-night, to which the public generally is cordially invited.

THE Chicago & Strawn railroad, which is an extension of the Chicago & Paducah, has just been completed. The Wabash company will formally assume the management of this line April 1st.

LADIES wishing to have any crocheting done to order will please call on Goldburg on West Wood street, where they can also have any and all the latest styles of hoopskirts made to order.
Aug. 26—dtf

GO TO Wells' gallery for all kinds of pictures, India ink, pastel or oil portraits, almost at your own price.
March 8-d8d

FOUR first-class theatrical attractions will appear at the opera house during the third week of March, commencing March 22d instant—the Frolicues in "Hobbies," Alice Oates, John Dillon, and another.

AS THE fire bells clanged last evening and the hose cart went skimming down East Main street a man popped his hatless head out of a second story and called out, "Where's the fire?" A disconsolate looking individual, who was startled by the cry above him, looked sadly upward and slowly said "13, 15, 14—" but before the unhappy man could finish the sentence the hatless head disappeared, and the window came down with a bang, while the laugh went round, and chased the latest victim of the crack brain puzzle as he walked off up Water street looking for the man who had asserted that he could solve the problem in 1,000,000 moves.

GO TO Dr. A. J. Stoner, south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled.—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents.
Feb. 26—dtf

FROM the Sturgis, Mich., *Weekly:* Mr. John Strait, living in Sherman township, informed us a few days ago that his feet had been so terribly frostbitten that he could hardly stand the pains caused thereby. He happened to think of St. Jacobs Oil—which he always keeps handy—rubbed his feet twice with the remedy, and the pain disappeared entirely. He not only values St. Jacobs Oil as an unexcelled remedy for a great many other painful diseases, to which mankind is subject, but he also asserts that it is really invaluable for the many diseases horses and stock are subject to, and which so often play havoc with the prospects of the farmer and stock-raiser.

Don't trifle with a severe cough or cold. Procure in time, if you wish to save doctor bills, a bottle of Dr. Marshall's lung syrup. Price 25 cents, 50 cents and $1.00 a bottle. Sold by Decatur druggists.
8-d&w1w.

THE alarm of fire on yesterday afternoon, about five o'clock, was caused by a report that Col. White's Central House was in flames. Investigation elicited the fact that there was no occasion for the least alarm. The atmosphere was very heavy, and an unusual amount of smoke from the flues of the hotel and passing locomotives had settled about the cupola, and that was all there was in it. Eldorado No. 2 was promptly on hand, and the other companies got as far as the coffin factory before learning of the state of affairs. A great crowd gathered about the hotel in a hurry.

THE poet Bryant, truthful interpreter of nature in all her changing moods and aspects as the year runs through the round of the season, is never more true to his theme than when he says of the stormy month of March:

"The stormy March is come at last,
With wind and cloud and changing skies;
I hear the rushing of the blast,
That through the snowy valley flies.
Ah! passing few are they who speak,
Wild, stormy month, in praise of thee;
Yet, though thy winds are loud and bleak,
Thou art a welcome month to me,
For thou to northern lands again
The glad and glorious sun doth bring;
And thou hast joined the gentle train
And wearest the gentle name of Spring."

JAMES KEEFE has purchased about all the lumber there is in Powers' old building now being torn down, and will use the most of it in the construction of a new two-story business building on the north side of the city park, just east of State street, facing Dr. Stoner's drug store. The new building will be put up as soon as brick can be obtained. Nebinger & Reeser bought a part of the window frames, caps and stone bases, for their new building.

OPERA Manager MAX Strakosch is on a two months operatic tour throughout the West. The principal singers will be Miss Maria Litta, Miss Lancaster, Miss Vallergs, and Messrs. Petrovich, Starts and Castlemary. His troupe also include Miss L. James, a brunette of 20 years, the daughter of the mayor of Council Bluffs. She finished her musical education under Mr. Strakosch's brother, and has sung in concerts with Wilhelmj.

ON Monday a stranger bound for Kansas, while at the union depot, was relieved of his pocket book, which he said contained $60 in cash and valuable papers. The police have been exerting themselves to detect the pickpocket and recover the money, but so far they have failed.

DOWN at the Linseed Oil Works a member of the firm of Hatfield, Taylor & Co. claims to be able to solve the 13, 15, 14 nuisance every four minutes, Midland time.

To My Customers.

Because I took too many orders in Decatur, and on account of sickness, I will not be able to deliver the hair work ordered by my lady friends in Decatur as soon as I expected, but I will do so as soon as possible—probably in two or three weeks.
Miss M. THOMAS
Springfield, March 10, 1880.

Cannot Enumerate

the variety and kinds of Laces that we display. With the fresh invoice of both Laces and Ruchings received yesterday we think we can show the best and most complete stock in the city.
CHEAP STORE,
11-d&w1w 18 Merchant st.

For Rent.

A 48-acre farm, all improved good land, within a mile of Decatur. Inquire at this office. mar11d2w*

Boy Wanted.

To wash dishes, wait on tables and do all kinds of work; steady job to a good boy, at MILLER'S Restaurant.
March 11-d3d

MARRIED.

By Rev. Wm L. Bankson, March 9th, 1880, Mr. John A. Lowrie, of Abilene, Kansas, and Miss Maggie Wayts, of South Wheatland.

Decatur Guards, Attention!

Pursuant to special order No. 5 from Col. James H. Barkley, commanding 5th regiment, dated Springfield, Ill., March 8, 1880, to me directed, Co. H is hereby ordered to assemble at its armory on next Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock, in full uniform:
A. GOODMAN,
td Captain, commanding.

For Rent!

One furnished room, in new building, corner East North and Broadway. Inquire of Mrs C O. Judson, on the premises.
9-d3*

Wanted to Rent.

A well-furnished room, up town location, in a private family, with or without board. Address P. O. Drawer C.
10-d3*

Fresh Oysters!

All are fresh, sweet, nice, big and fat; just received to-day from Baltimore, at
9-8d MILLER'S RESTAURANT.

Dissolution Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between Martin & Haws, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
CHAS. G. MARTIN,
J. H. HAWS.
mar8-d3t*

SEND orders for dry wood to McClelland's coal yard. Jan29dtf

IF you have a house for sale call at Wells' gallery. mar9d3t

LINN & SCRUGGS have just received a handsome assortment of new spring and summer silks. d&wtf

Notice.

The fifth series of stock of the People's Homestead, Savings and Loan Association, of Decatur, Ill., will be issued on Monday, April 5, 1880.
D. C. SHOCKLEY, Pres't.
O. B. GORIN, Sec.
March 4-dtd

FRENCH CALF Button Shoes, for ladies and misses, best quality, that fit, just received at Ferris' Shoe Store.
Jan 6-d&wtf

TALK UP YOUR TOWN AND COUNTY.

The Way to Bring About Good Times Briefly Outlined.

Grumblers abound in nearly every city and county, and to all such we would say, in the language of an exchange: "Talk up your county, speak a good word about your neighbors and your neighborhood—not only when you are abroad, but when you are at home. Don't go around looking as if every man was your natural enemy, and you were hopelessly tied up in a community with which you have no sympathy and no common interests. Don't run down the county and berate your fellow citizens to every stranger you meet, but brag them up. Tell strangers you have a fine county. Don't deceive them by telling exaggerated stories or untruths, but don't take a delight in making prominent every little mismanagement of public affairs and every little circumstance of your county's history that was not just according to your ideas. Tell the stranger visitor that your people are good and hospitable, and prove it to him by introducing him among your friends. Let every man speak well of his neighborhood and his county and try and induce strangers to settle there. When a stranger locates near you, make him think well of you and of your neighbors. If there is a bargain in a piece of vacant land or a farm near you, help to get that bargain disposed of. When it is in stronger hands, and out of the market, it will stiffen prices on all the lands surrounding it. Get all your farms into the hands of men out of debt and able to hold them, and you will see a boom in the real estate market; but as long as there is a farm for sale under pressure of debts, the prices of other lands will be influenced thereby. A vacant store in a row of business houses injures the rental value of all the others; a demand for one more store than can be had has the contrary effect. Prices of lands are affected in the same way."

Solved at Last

A reader of the REPUBLICAN, whose modesty will not permit us to hand down his name to future generations as the "Greatest Benefactor of the Nineteenth Century," presents us with the following correct solutions of the Gem Crack Brain puzzle, which has been bothering so many suffering people in this community during the past ten days:

First Combination—13, 15, 14—space in left hand lower corner; move as follows: 13l, 15l, 14l, 12d, 8d, 4d, 3r, 2r, 1r, 5u, 9u, 13u, 15l, 14l, 12l, 8d, 4d, 3r, 2r, 1r; (at this point turn the box one-quarter round to the right); 6l, 10l, 14l, 12d, 11r, 7r, 10u, 9u, 13l, 14d, 12l, 15u, 14r, 13r, 9d, 10d, 7l, 11l, 8d, 4r, 3r, 2r, 1u, 6u, 5u, 9l, 13l, 14l, 15d, 12r, 11d, 7r, 6r, 5u, 9u, and the only correct solution is obtained.

Second Combination—15, 13, 14—space in lower right hand corner,—12d, 11r, 10r, 13u, 15r, 9d, 13l, 10l, 14u, 15r, 9r, 13d, 10l, 14l, 15u, 9r, 14d, 10r, 13u, 14l, 9l, 15d, 10r, 9u, 14r, 13d, 9l, 10l, 11l, 12u—and you have it.

Third Combination—14, 15, 13—space in lower right hand corner—13r, 15r, 14r, 9d, 5d, 6l, 10u, 11l, 12l, 13u, 15r, 14r, 11d, 12l, 13l, 15u, 14r, 13d, 12r, 11u, 13l, 14l, 15d, 12r, 11r, 10d, 6r, 5u, 9u,—and you have it

Fourth Combination—15, 13, 14—space in lower right hand corner—Move 13r, 14r, 15r, 9d, 5d, 6l, 10u, 11l, 12l, 13u, 14r, 15r, 11d, 12l, 13l, 14u, 15l, 13d, 12r, 11u, 13l, 15l, 14d, 12r, 11r, 10d, 6r, 5u, 9u—now proceed as in the 13, 15, 14 combination, as given above.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Thad. P. Varney and family have departed for Cincinnati.

Mrs. M. E. Schroeder and Mrs. Benj. Dill are reported dangerously ill

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Griffith, of Charleston, are in the city.

We learn this morning that Mr. Ichabod Baldwin, who has been seriously ill for a number of days, is slowly improving.

John S. Campbell and "Billy" Bell have resigned their positions as conductors on the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville railway.

H. B. Durfee's condition this afternoon is reported to be very critical. There was a change for the worse soon after 12 o'clock.

H. M. Walt, former keeper of the poor farm, will leave this afternoon for Monroe, Platte county, Neb. He will hunt up lost cars for the Union Pacific Railway Co.

Henry Johnson and wife, Springfield; L. C. Fell and wife, Ashmore; and C. M. Davidson, wife and child, Springfield, occupied apartments at the St. Nicholas last night.

Dr. Lizzie P. James, formerly of this city, has delivered a medical lecture at Springfield. The Secretary of the "Comus Club" took her to task in one of the city papers, and yesterday the female doctor came back at him in a lively manner. The end is not yet.

A Starter.

To begin with we have put on sale 50 boxes, that is 50 dozen Balbriggan Hose, ranging in prices at 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 and 40c a pair. These are bargains, from the lowest to the highest priced. Come in and have your choice.
10-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

LADIES out shopping should not fail to see our new line of spring Hosiery, Laces, Embroidery and Ruchings.
8-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

Removal.

Dr. J. Brown has removed his office to the rooms over Young & Norman's barber shop—first building east of the post office. [March 8-d&wtf

Ladies' Underwear.

Just received an additional invoice of very handsome N Gowns, Chemise, Drawers and Skirts, which we are offering at the old prices. CHEAP STORE.
8-d&w1w

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Regular Meeting.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILLS., March 10, 1880.

Present, Messrs. Barnes, Ullrich, and clerk.

Mr. Ullrich appointed president *pro tem.*

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were allowed and the clerk directed to draw orders on the treasurer to pay the same:

Laura Montgomery, $6.50; Decatur Gas Light & Coke Co., $3.90; D. M. Lintner, $3.75; D. Kyle, $4.20; Jas Montgomery, $29; Henry Smith, $6.12.

The resignation of Mrs. Yoakum, to take effect at the end of the present term, was read and accepted. On motion, Miss Laura Montgomery was elected to fill the vacancy at a salary of $28 per month.

The report of the treasurer for the month of February was read, compared and accepted

The Supt's report of receipts and expenditures of tuition fund for the month of February was read, examined and accepted.

President and clerk directed to pay the interest, $450, due April 1, 1880.

On motion adjourned.

JOHN ULLRICH, President *pro tem*
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

A Colored Voter Speaks.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Please allow me space to answer the charges in to-day's *Review*, purporting to be a defense of temperance, but really a stab from the haters of the negro race and the despisers of the 14th and 15th constitutional amendments. There may have been more tramps in Decatur during the week of the late city election than at any time previous. We have nothing to do with that, but when any individual will skim all around the solid Irish and German voters who voted for license on the 2d inst., and then put the brand of Cain on the colored voters, as was done by Dr. Goodwin when he said, "The transient elements, the railroad employes, the colored voters, and the men who work in our shops, factories, foundries, etc., but who own no property here, chiefly vote the license ticket," I think it high time to call a halt and present an explanation. The above may go down in Danville, but Decatur people know better. Let us see how the matter stands:

THE COLORED VOTE.

Total No. of tax-payers for temperance,	6
Bought by temperance workers,	1
Total,	7
Total No. tax-payers for license,	66

This government gives us the ballot through the Republican party, and we appreciate nothing better than freedom—freedom to vote as we please on questions at issue, as do the Germans and Irish. Anybody can attack the negro race, because we are weak in numbers; but the question is, why didn't Dr. Goodwin attack the German or Irish element? Why single out the colored people, with the statement that they had nothing at stake in the recent election in the way of taxable property. Many colored voters have comfortable homes here, which they have paid for, and on which they pay taxes. Can anybody figure up how much taxes our clerical assailant pays? The people work in the shops and on the railroads, and though poor and colored, do command the respect and confidence of all good and sensible people Some of them are black, but God is responsible for their color. We are responsible for voting as we may think is right. I hate a man or woman who hates liberty; and I despise a man who challenges a vote simply on questions at issue. Republican freedom gives the poor man as much freedom as it gives to the rich man. Christ died for the poor. As we colored people stand branded with the black mark, it is as honest as if it was fair as the rose that blooms. A man who will go back on a man for decision in casting his ballot, will not do to hold office NORTT MCALLISTER
DECATUR, ILL., March 11, 1880

WE are always pleased to recommend a good article. Bromoline is surely a wonderful medicine for liver complaint, constipation and general debility. Sold by Decatur druggists. 8 d&w1w

Some of Our Specialis,

such as Hosiery, Corsets and Underwear, deserve the ladies special attention, but more especially of those who are desirous to get all they can for their money.
10-d&w1w CHEAP STORE

GLASSWARE and everything for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress.
Feb4-tf

COOK stoves and everything for house keeping at Ashby & Andress
Feb4-tf

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, the corn to be delivered at D S Shellabarger & Co.'s mill. [Nov. 18—d&wtf

From Hon. Andrew Cornwall.

EX-MEMBER LEGISLATURE, N Y STATE.
ALEXANDRIA BAY, Jan 3, 1880.

H. H. WARNER & Co.

Gents: I have been troubled with kidney difficulty for the last three years, and in October last had a very severe attack. I then commenced taking your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure and obtained relief at once. I have used two bottles and feel as well as ever, and I shall always keep a supply of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure in the house.
Yours truly, A. CORNWALL
Sold by W. C. Armstrong, druggist
4daw2w

Come and See

The best and most complete stock of hosiery, fancy goods and notions in the whole of central Illinois. Our prices are below any heretofore in vogue in these "diggins," while our assortment comprises *everything*, and plenty under the several branches designated.
5-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

We Guarantee What We Say.

We know *Shiloh's Consumption Cure* is decidedly the best Cough Medicine made. It will cure a common or Chronic Cough, or Bronchitis, in half the time, and relieve Cough, Whooping Cough, Asthma at once, and show more cases of Consumption cured than all others. It will cure where they fail, it is pleasant to take, harmless to the younger child, and we guarantee what we say. Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1.00. If your Lungs are sore, Chest or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. J. STONER, Decatur, Illinois.

No Deception Used.

It is strange so many people will continue to suffer day after day with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Constipation, Sour Stomach, General Debility, when they can procure at our store SHILOH'S VITALIZER, free of cost, if it does not cure or relieve them Price 75 cents.—Sold by Dr. A. J. STONER, Decatur, Ill.

We have a speedy and positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Headache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health, and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by DR. A. J. STONER, Decatur, Ill.
Oct 1—d&weod

A $1,000 Guarantee.

Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure will positively cure Bright's Disease and Diabetes; and it is guaranteed that it will also cure 99 per ct. of other kidney diseases, 95 per cent. of all liver diseases, and will help in every case without injury to the system, when taken according to directions, and the sum of $1,000 will be paid to any person who can prove that it has failed to do this.—*H. H. Warner & Co*
Sold by W. C. Armstrong, druggist.
4-d&w2w

Horses Wanted.

E. B. Pratt will buy at his place of business, 37 North Church street, Decatur, from March 6th to April 15th, 1880, horses of the following description Single drivers from 900 to 1200 pounds, good matched carriage and gentlemen driving teams, 1000 to 1200 pounds; draft horses, single and matched, from 1000 to 1600 pounds each, from five to nine years old, for which good fair prices will be paid in cash. Feb. 28 d&wtf

A GENERAL exchange business done in housekeeping goods at Ashby & Andress.
Feb4-tf

W. C. T. U. Festival.

At our regular meeting this week we voted to hold a festival at the tabernacle on the evening of Thursday, March 11th. You are all invited, even though you may have voted for license. Per order.

Just Received.

Great bargains in Kid Gloves—perfect in all respects, and only 35c a pair, at Linn & Scruggs'. 6 d&wtf

What Eminent Physicians Say.

Preventive of Malaria—Coldon's Liebig's Extract of Beef and Tonic Invigorato is particularly useful when tonics are required in DIPTHERIA, AGUE, MALARIAL TYPHOID FEVER, and every depressing disease We have prescribed it with excellent success J. H Leslie, M. D.; G. P Copp, M D; S B Parsons, M D, R. A. Vaughn, M. D.; Drs. S. L. and J. C. Nidelet, all of St. Louis, and many others. Sold by all druggists
Feb. 12-d&w1m

Some More.

Just received additional invoices of Laces, Embroideries, Spring Hosiery, light weight Circulars, and other attractive goods pertaining to our line: A full stock and the *lowest prices* are *always* found with us. We do not advertise what we cannot substantiate The quantities that we carry and the prices that we name are unsurpassed anywhere. Come and see. CHEAP STORE.
6 d&w1w

$24 WILL buy a D. B breech-loading shotgun, Lefaucheaux action, the strongest action made, warranted for one year, at H. MUELLER & Co's.
aug 27-dtf

Corsets.

If you want a first-class corset at the old price come in and look at ours. We can safely say that we have the handsomest and most complete line of this indispensible article of ladies' toilet in this market. CHEAP STORE
8-d&w1w

REFRIGERATORS, all sorts and prices, at Ashby & Andress'
March 6-dtf

LADIES' night dresses, chemises, drawers and skirts, at *very low prices.*
June 27-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Garr Scott & Co., and against Abner B. Bacon, George P. Bacon and Richard F. Paine, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), township sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M., in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said defendants, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 9th day of March, A. D. 1880.
M. FORSTMYER,
March 10-d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Garr Scott & Co. and against Abner B. Bacon, George P Bacon and Richard F. Paine, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot six (6), southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24), town seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M., 10 acres, more or less. Taken as property of the said defendants, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.
This 9th day of March, A. D. 1880.
M. FORSTMYER,
Mar. 10—d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

Redemption Notice.

To J. M. Scott or parties interested.

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 8, in block 7, in the town of Blue Mound, taxed in the name of J. M. Scott, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
March 8 d3w M. P MURPHEY,

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Of New Goods at
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Decatur, Ill, March 9, 1880—d&wtf

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March 5—d&w1mos

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF—

THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK,

at Decatur, in the State of Illinois, at the close of business, February 21, 1880.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$171,871 54
Overdrafts	1,750 11
U. S Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	500 00
Due from other National Banks	13,430 92
Due from State Banks and Bankers	3,826 20
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	17,992 98
Current expenses and taxes paid	700 00
Checks and other cash items	5,316 30
Bills of other banks	4,050 00
Fractional currency (including nickels)	25 03
Specie (including gold Treasury certificates)	1,950 50
Legal tender notes	16,000 10
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent. of circulation)	2,492 36
Total	$287,704 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	11,000 00
Undivided profits	4,348 73
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	117,204 07
Demand certificates of deposit	10,151 40
Total,	$287,704 80

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss

I, George W. Bright, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
GEO. W. BRIGHT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February, 1880.
EDWIN R. ELDRIDGE, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:
JOSIAH M CLOKEY,
W. C. JOHNS,
CHAS. P. THATCHER, } Directors
Feb. 28—d2t

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Feb. 21, 1880—d&wtg

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS, by their certain trust deed, dated the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the Recorder's office, of the county of Shelby, and State of Illinois, in book 9 of Mortgages, at page 288, David Hudson and Lucy Hudson, his wife, of said Shelby county, did convey to the undersigned as trustees the premises hereinafter described, to secure one promissory note of said David Hudson of even date with said trust deed, payable three years after date to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date for which interest coupons were given, as mentioned in said deed of trust, and also the sum of eight and 75-100 dollars to pay cost of remitting said principal sum when paid;

And whereas, said principal sum was, on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1878, extended for the term of three years from said last mentioned date upon same terms, as particularly set forth in said trust deed, as to the first period of three years; and new coupon notes were given and received representing the interest at ten per cent. upon said principal sum for the period covered by said extension, said coupon notes being payable respectively upon the first days of May and November in each year of such extension, except the last, which was due October 23rd, 1878, the time to which said principal note was extended;

And whereas, said trust deed provides that upon any failure to pay principal or interest when due, it shall be the duty of the undersigned upon application of the legal holder of said promissory note, to proceed and sell said premises at the place and in the manner mentioned in said trust deed, and default has been made in the payment of the principal and interest also of the interest coupon due October 23rd, A. D. 1878, and William Bassett, [illegible] the legal holder of said note and [illegible] has made application to the undersigned to proceed and sell said premises according to the terms of said trust deed, and default [illegible] will be due thereon upon the 1st day of April, A. D. 1880, the sum of $4,396 25;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, by virtue of the power and authority in them vested by said trust deed, on

Thursday, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described premises, situate, lying and being in the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, to-wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the south half of the northeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, all in section No. thirty-four, in township No. ten north, of range No. three east of the third principal meridian; also the east half of the northeast quarter of section three, except two acres out of the northeast corner of same, and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section two—said last two described tracts of land being in township No. nine north, and No three east of the third principal meridian, containing in all two hundred and seventy-eight (278) acres, according to Government survey, together with all the rights, interest and equity of redemption of said David Hudson and Lucy Hudson, their heirs and assigns therein.

Decatur, Ill., March 1, 1880.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BORROWS, } Trustees.
March 2 1880—dtd

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given to the citizens and electors of the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, that the Annual Town Meeting for said town will be held at

Neptune Hose House in the 1st district.
Benj. Dill's Carpenter Shop in the 2d district.
Rescue Hose House in the 3rd district.
County Clerk's Office in the 4th "

in said town, on TUESDAY, the 6th day of April next, being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purposes following, viz:

1st. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

2d. To elect One Supervisor, Two Assistant Supervisors, One Town Clerk, One Assessor, One Collector, One Commissioner of Highways, and as many Poundmasters as the electors may determine.

And to act upon any additional subjects which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened. Which meeting will be called to order between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and continue open until 7 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Given under my hand, at Decatur, Illinois, this 2d day of March, A. D. 1880.
G. P. HARDY, Town Clerk.
March 1—d6t

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express.............. 7:00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line.............. 4:35 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail.............. 3:30 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express.............. 10:45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express.............. 11:50 a. m
" 6 Accommodation.............. 7:00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East.............. 9:45 a. m
Going West.............. 1:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express.............. 6:30 a. m
" 43 Fast Line.............. 4:40 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail.............. 3:35 p. m
Freight.............. 7:00 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express.............. 10:25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express.............. 11:40 a. m
" 46 Accommodation.............. 9:15 p. m
" 54 Passenger Freight.............. 5:30 a. m

☞ For Routes, Rates, Elegant Maps of the Western Country, and any information you may desire in regard to going West, please address

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TRAINS BOUND WEST. Freight. No. 9.	No. 7	No. 5.	Passenger. No. 3.	No. 1.	STATIONS.	TRAINS BOUND EAST. Passenger. No. 2.	No. 4.	Freight. No. 6.	No. 8	No. 10
					Leave. Arrive.					
....	Through Freight.	....	3:30 pm	7:30 am	INDIANAPOLIS.	6:25 pm	11:30 am	....	Through Freight.	....
....		6:00 am	3:38 pm	7:39 am	MOORESFIELD.	6:17 pm	11:28 am	7:20 pm		....
....		9:30 am	5:22 pm	9:30 am	ROACHDALE.	4:40 pm	9:30 am	4:03 pm		....
....		11:05 am	6:06 pm	10:17 am	GUION.	4:00 pm	8:45 am	2:15 pm		....
....		12:23 pm	6:45 pm	11:02 am	MONTEZUMA.	3:23 pm	8:05 am	12:25 pm		....
....		12:40 pm	6:49 pm	11:06 am	HILLSDALE.	3:19 pm	8:01 am	12:25 pm		....
....		2:11 pm	7:33 pm	11:52 am	CHRISMAN.	2:41 pm	7:19 am	10:14 am		....
7:00 am		6:00 pm	9:00 pm	1:05 pm	TUSCOLA.	1:25 pm	6:00 am	7:00 am		5:40 pm
8:34 am		....	....	2:31 pm	HAMMOND.	12:30 pm	....	....		4:16 pm
10:30 am		....	....	3:25 pm	DECATUR.	11:40 am	....	....		3:20 pm
					Arrive. Leave.					

General Offices Indianapolis, Ind. H. D. HAMMOND, President; H. S. MORSE, General Supt.; GEO. A. SANDERSON, Gen'l Freight and Ticket A'g't. GEO. E. LANY Agent, Decatur, Ill.

Through Time by the

I. B. & W. ROUTE

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
L., B. & W. R. R.			
Leave Decatur			2:30 p m
Arr Monticello			4:25 p m
Lv Champaign	6:10 a m	1:34 p m	11:25 p m
Ar Danville	7:48 a m	3:06 p m	1:34 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11:00 a m	6:00 p m	4:20 a m
Ar Cincinnati	4:05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur		11:40 a m	10:45 p m
" Tolono		12:53 p m	11:57 p m
Ar Danville		3:12 p m	1:18 a m
" Indianapolis	11:00 a m	6:00 p m	4:20 a m
" Cincinnati	4:05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
" Dayton	4:55 p m	11:40 p m	6:35 a m
" Columbus	9:40 p m	12:45 a m	12:35 p m
" Zanesville	1:30 a m		3:10 p m
" Wheeling	5:05 a m		6:40 p m
Washington	7:20 p m	9:07 p m	7:50 a m
Baltimore	8:30 p m	7:35 p m	7:45 a m
" Pittsburg		7:50 a m	7:46 p m
" Harrisburg		3:35 p m	3:50 a m
" Philadelphia	3:10 a m	7:20 p m	7:35 a m
New York	6:35 a m	10:15 p m	10:25 a m
Crestline		4:33 a m	12:05 p m
" Cleveland		7:30 a m	2:20 p m
" Buffalo		1:05 p m	8:05 p m
" Boston		8:15 a m	2:40 p m
" Louisville	7:40 p m	11:50 p m	8:20 a m
" Nashville		6:30 a m	7:30 p m

Train No. 6 will leave Decatur via Wabash Railway daily, and run through to Indianapolis, making all Eastern connections. All other trains daily, except Sunday.

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For through tickets and further information address W. S. MARSHALL, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Jan. 12th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger.............. 8:00 a. m.
Mail and Express.............. 4:36 p. m.
Through Freight.............. 3:04 a. m.
Way Freight.............. 8:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express.............. 11:44 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive.............. 9:00 p. m
Through Freight.............. 4:10 a. m.
Way Freight.............. 7:30 a. m.

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TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Sept. 15.	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Leave.			Arrive.	
No. 3.	No. 1		No. 2.	No. 4.
7.00 am	4.10 pm	Decatur.	3.38 pm	10.00 pm
8.17 "	5.02 "	Mt Pulaski	2.47 "	8.35 "
8.58 "	5.28 "	Lincoln	2.23 "	7.52 "
9.50 "	6.11 "	Delavan	1.41 "	6.50 "
10.35 "	6.45 "	Pekin	1.10 "	5.45 "
11.30 "	7.30 "	Peoria	12.30 "	5.0 "

Freight leaves at 1:30 p. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 19, 1879.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 21, 1878.

On and after to-day, until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger.............. 10:05 a m
Passenger.............. 6:35 p m
Freight.............. 9:30 a m

GOING NORTH.

Passenger.............. 7:00 a m
Passenger.............. 3:29 p m
Freight.............. 4:30 "

E. F. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

DECATUR POST-OFFICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails.

MAILS ARRIVE

Wabash Night Line East and West.............. 5:30 a. m.
Ill. Cent. from South.............. 7:00 a. m.
P. L. & D.............. 10:30 a. m.
Chicago and Dubuque (via Foreston).............. 10:30 a. m.
" " Burlington (via Mendota).............. 10:30 a. m
I. B. & W.............. 11:50 a. m.
Wabash from West.............. 12:00 m.
St. Louis Division.............. 12:00 m.
I. D. & S.............. 12:00 m.
Midland from East.............. 12:00 m.
Wabash " .... 3:30 p. m.
D., M. & Sullivan.............. 4:30 p. m.
Midland from West.............. 5:00 p. m.
I. C. R. R. from North.............. 6:30 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

D. M. & Sullivan.............. 10:00 a. m.
Wabash East.............. 11:15 a. m.
Midland West.............. 11:15 a. m.
I., D. & S.............. 12:45 p. m.
I., B. & W.............. 2:30 p. m.
Wabash West.............. 3:00 p. m.
St. Louis Division.............. 3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Dubuque west of Foreston, 3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Burlington " " Mendota, 3:00 p. m.
P., L. & D.............. 3:50 p. m.
Midland East.............. 3:30 p. m.
I. C. South.............. 6:00 p. m.
Wabash East and West (night line), 7:30 p. m.
I. C. North.............. 6:30 a. m.
Jan. 23, 1880. R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

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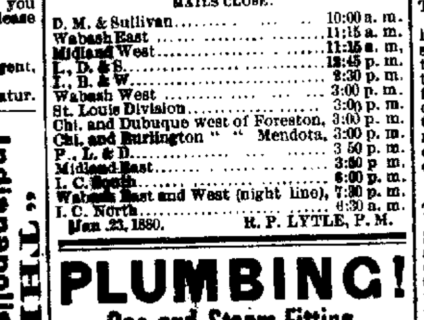

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WM. P. WATSON, Sec'y and Treas., Chicago.
Jan. 31—dlmo

Redemption Notices.

To J. B. Evans, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 6, township 18 north, range 1 east of the 3rd P. M., taxed in the name of J. B. Evans, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1880.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To Susan Hornsbarger, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit: South half lot 4, block 13, Railroad Addition to South Macon, taxed in the name of Susan Hornsbarger, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
Feb. 17—d3w JOHN N. BILLS.

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REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To M. C. Thomas, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 187,7 I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot twenty-eight, block one, Wait & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of M. C. Thomas, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To Mary E. Perkins, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot seven, block four, H. Robinson's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Mary E. Perkins, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To C. W. C. Munsell, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot three, block eight, Carver's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of C. W. C. Munsell, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To John W. Priest, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 15, block 3, in resurvey block 3, original town, taxed in the name of John W. Priest, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To Ira Harris, jr., or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot eight, block two, Rolling Mill Fourth Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Ira Harris, jr., and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To W. C. Ritner, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot three, block two, Packard's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of W. C. Ritner, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To W. M. Pierce, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot ten, in block six, Gatling's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of W. M. Pierce, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
M. P. MURPHEY.

To A. G. Ritchie, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot thirteen, block six, resurvey of block six, Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of A. G. Ritchie, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. M. P. MURPHEY.
Feb. 14—d3w

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, James M. Bell and Nancy L. Bell, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did, on the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust convey to Charles A. Ewing, trustee of same residence, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Twenty-five (25) feet off the south side of lot five (5), eight (8) feet off the north side of lot six (6) and thirty-three by fifty (33x50) feet of lot seven (7), described as follows, to-wit: commencing thirty-two (32) feet from the southwest corner of lot seven (7), thence east fifty (50) feet, thence north thirty-three (33) feet, thence west fifty (50) feet, thence south thirty-three (33) feet to place of beginning, all in block three (3) of the South Addition to Decatur, Illinois, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section five (5), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section eight (8), in township fifteen (15) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, in trust, to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes given by the said James M. Bell and one Jesse Greenfield, of even date therewith—one of said notes for two thousand five hundred and ninety dollars, payable seven months after date to J. Millikin & Co., at the banking house of J. Millikin & Co., and the other of said notes payable to the same parties at the same place, and for a like amount twelve months after date, both with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date, value received, and upon which notes there is due this February 13th, A. D. 1880, five thousand six hundred and five dollars and ninety-three cents ($5,605.93);

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in the payment of either interest or principal of said indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, then said trustee shall sell and dispose of said premises according to the provisions of said deed of trust;

And whereas, default has been made in payment of principal and interest of said indebtedness, and the legal holders of said notes having made application to the undersigned to proceed to sell said premises in compliance with the terms of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the

Seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1880,

at two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the foot of the main stairway leading to the circuit court room, in Decatur, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described premises and all right, title and interest and equity of redemption of said James M. Bell and Nancy L. Bell, their heirs and their assigns therein. CHARLES A. EWING, Trustee.
Feb. 13-dtd

Washington as a Candidate for a Third Term.

Boston Traveler (Rep.)

There is strong evidence that, in the interval between 1797, when he retired, and 1799, when he died, Washington contemplated placing himself before the people as a candidate for a third term against Mr. Jefferson. He held constant correspondence with the Federal leaders, and in the March previous to the Presidential election he actively took part, urging use of some very significant words, which entirely contradict the current nonsense as to his being an anti-third-termer under any and all conditions. "Everything dear and valuable to us," wrote Washington, "is assailed; this (Jefferson's) party hangs upon the wheels of government as a dead weight, opposing every measure that is calculated for advance and self-preservation. Ought characters who are best able to rescue their country from impending evil to remain at home? Rather, ought they not to come forward, and by their talents and influence stand in the breach?"

With wealthy relatives, well-to-do children and grandchildren, an old lady aged over ninety years, was compelled to apply for admission and was recently received in the Paterson (N. J.) Almshouse. The superintendent, Mr. Petry, refuses to divulge her name, but knows her family, and says that she asks only for a quiet place in which she may await death, with a little food until then.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Your taxes for the year 1879 are now due and payable at the office of the collector. Call and get your receipts. Office over the furniture store of P. B. Provost & Son, north of the council rooms.
W. W. FOSTER, Collector.
Jan. 12—d2m

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Hosiery, Fancy Goods and Notions being a specialty with us, we can probably show you the most complete assortment of any house in this part of the state. Our prices will speak for themselves.
March 6—d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

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Nov. 26—d&wtf

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Dec. 22—d&wtf

DIARIES for 1880.—Large variety, embracing all grades from cheap to very fine, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s.
Dec. 10—d&wtf

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Dec. 18-d&wtf

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Feb4-tf

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Nov. 26—d&wtf

Homœopathic Remedies

And McCormack Bros.' Family Guide Chart, for sale at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store, Decatur, Ill. [Nov 7-d&wly

FRENCH CALF Button Shoes, for ladies and misses, best quality, that fit, just received at Ferriss' Shoe Store.
Jan. 6-d&wtf

To the Public.

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To Mrs. Ward, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit: Lot 6, block 7, Carver's Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of Mrs. Ward, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To A. L. Peterson, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit: Lot 16, block 7, Smith & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of A. L. Peterson, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To A. M. Pitts, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: North half of lot 3, southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, also part of lot 9, east half southwest quarter section 19, township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M., taxed in the name of A. M. Pitts, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. JOHN N. BILLS.

To Mrs. New, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit: Lot 2, block 6, town of Harristown, taxed in the name of Mrs. New, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
JOHN N. BILLS.

To C. M. Wykle, or parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described tract, to-wit: Lot 7, Block 6, B. H. Cassell's 1st addition to the city of Decatur, taxed in the name of C. M. Wykle, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. JOHN N. BILLS.
Feb. 10—d3w

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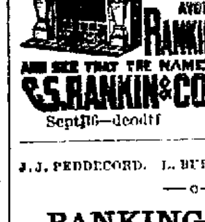

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To Lucius Ferry and all other parties interested:
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J. H. DURFEE.

To Chas. Fisher and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described land, to-wit: East half east half west half northwest quarter section 34, town 16, range 1 east—20 acres, taxed in the name of Charles Fisher, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To E. Lansden and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described land, to-wit: Southeast quarter northwest quarter section 16, town 15, range 4 east—41.35 acres, taxed in the name of E. Lansden, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. J. H. DURFEE.

To J. W. Haworth and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 10, block 3, H. Robinson's Addition to Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of J. W. Haworth, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To L. Bond and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 24, block 1, of the the town of Argenta, Ill., taxed in the name of L. Bond, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. J. H. DURFEE.

To A. J. Ritchie and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 8, block 1, of Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of A. J. Ritchie, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To D. S. Hoover & Son and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 7, block 6, lot the resurvey of block 6, of Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, Ill., taxed in the name of D. S. Hoover & Son, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. J. H. DURFEE.

To F. S. Batteiger and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 2, block 5, of the original town of Decatur, Illinois, taxed in the name of F. S. Batteiger, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To W. H. Blackburn and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 1, block 3, of the North Addition to Decatur, Ill., taxed in the name of W. H. Blackburn, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To Geo. Martin and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 12, block 1, of M. Forstmyer's Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of George Martin, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To G. H. Wood and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 7, in block 4, of B. H. Cassell's 4th addition to Decatur, Ill., taxed in the name of G. H. Wood, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To Isadore Winholtz and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lots, to-wit: Lots 13 and 14, block 18, of Carver's Addition to Decatur, Ill., taxed in the name of Isadore Winholtz, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
J. H. DURFEE.

To J. M. Dawson and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: South half of lot 1, block 2, of Cowan & Hostetler's Addition to Decatur, Ills., taxed in the name of J. M. Dawson, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. J. H. DURFEE.

To Jos. Spangler and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described land, to-wit: Lot 11, east half southwest qr. sec. 9, town 16, range 3 east—10 acres, taxed in the name of Joseph Spangler, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880. J. H. DURFEE.

To W. C. Dunnivin and all other parties interested:
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 10, block 1, of the Sangamon Addition to Decatur, Ill., taxed in the name of W. C. Dunnivin, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.
Feb. 17—d3w J. H. DURFEE.

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Jan. 15, 1879—d&wtf

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THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm name of J. L. FENTON & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual agreement. The business will be continued by H. W. Fenton at the old place of business. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to settle by note or otherwise.
Feb. 28—d6d w4w J. L. FENTON. H. W. FENTON.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

Macon County Circuit Court.

Edward Hopper vs. David Garver and Andrew M. Garver.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1879, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Monday, the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The south half of the northeast quarter of section No. twenty-eight (28), and thirty (30) acres off the west side of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. twenty-two (22), all in township No. seventeen (17) north of range No. three (3) east of the 3rd P. M., or so much thereof as may be sufficient to realize the amount due the said complainant on day of sale and with costs of suit, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, Feb. 27th, 1880.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois.
A. B. BUNN, Solicitor for Complainant.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by Melinda Turpin after the 20th day of December, A. D. 1879. MADISON TURPIN.
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